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1. Cong. Walter requested information as to why CIA had rejected the application of [REDACTED] The reason for the inquiry was to enable the Congressman to determine whether he wished to recommend [REDACTED] for a Congressional Committee position. I informed the Congressman on a confidential basis that we had turned [REDACTED] down for security reasons.

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2. Cong. Walter also discussed the inability to get persons placed in CIA, and I assured him that we would be happy to place any qualified applicant.

3. I informed Cong. Karsten that the document in which he was interested was merely a CIA reproduction of a State document dated 31 May 1949, and that we had destroyed our copy. I also informed him that we did not have any material on the China Lobby as it was really outside our jurisdiction.